## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 836 By Cooper

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Heather Davis, 2004 Salutatorian of F.C. Boyd, Sr. Christian High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Heather Davis is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2004 graduating class at F.C. Boyd, Sr. Christian High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Miss Davis has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Heather has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, through her successful academic endeavors, Heather has excelled in AP Chemistry, Biology II, Creative Writing, World History, and English II, earning the highest GPA Awards in each class; and submitted a research paper in the Tennessee Junior Science Symposium and was named as the 2nd Alternate for the National Convention; and

WHEREAS, earning the respect of her classmates and teachers alike, Heather was chosen as an Alternate for Girls' State and as Vice President and President of the National Honor Society Club; and

WHEREAS, her laudable talents extend beyond the classroom as Heather is a gifted athlete excelling in ballet and gymnastics and is also a superlative pianist; and

WHEREAS, Heather is a devout member of New Union Church of Christ and serves as a 1st grade Sunday School Teacher; and

WHEREAS, highly regarded in her community, Heather has been a caring baby-sitter and presently works as a part-time Nanny; and

WHEREAS, Miss Davis' display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, planning to further her education at Harding University, Heather has been awarded an Academic Scholarship and intends to study Chemistry or Biology; and

WHEREAS, Heather's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Glenn and Julie Davis, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Miss Davis' dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor 2004 F.C. Boyd, Sr. Christian High School Salutatorian, Heather Davis, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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